

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services – RWS&S Department – Allegations of irregularities in execution of “Providing drinking water facilities to quality affected habitations” in Chinnaganjam, Karamchedu, Parchur (M) in Prakasam District against Sri N. Parvatha Reddy, the then Executive Engineer, RWS&S Division, Ongole and two (2) others – Disciplinary proceedings initiated - Appointment of Dr. Premchand, IAS, (Retd.), Member, Commissioner of Inquiries, General Administration Department as Enquiry Officer and Superintending Engineer, RWS&S, Prakasam District as Presenting Officer, under Rule 20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991 – Orders – Issued.

PANCHAYAT RAJ AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT (VIG.IA) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 652.

Dated: 08-05-2014

Read the following:-

1. Chief Engineer, V&QC, RWS&S, Hyderabad Lr.No.1966/Estt/V&QC/Chinnaganjam/2009-10, dt. 15.06.2009.
2. Chief Engineer, V&QC, Hyderabad Lr.No.AEE1/V&QC/Chinnaganjam/2009-10, dt. 25.04.2011.
3. G.O.Rt.Nos.171 to174, PR&RD (Vig.IA) Dept., dt. 31.01.2012.
4. General Administration (V&E) Dept., Vigilance Report No.72 (353/V&E/E2/2011), dt. 28.09.2012.
5. G.O.Rt.Nos.1008 to 1011, PR&RD (Vig.IA) Dept., dt. 22.06.2013.
6. The ENC, RWS&S, Hyderabad Lr.No.Vig.(2)/RWS&S/2937/2009, dt.13.07.2013.
7. Written Statement of Defence of Sri N. Parvatha Reddy, the then EE, RWS&S Divn.,Ongole presently working as EE, RWS&S Divn., Madanapalli, Chittoor, dt.26.07.2013.
8. Written Statement of Defence of Sri G. Ashok, Dy.EE, PRI Sub-Divn., Addanki, dt.31.10.2013.
9. Written Statement of Defence of Sri G. Maheswara Rao, Dy EE, INCAP, Hyderabad, dt.22.07.2013.
10. G.O.Rt.No.651, PR&RD (Vig.IA) Dept., dt.08.05.2014.

ORDER:

In the references 3rd & 5th read above, charges and additional charges were framed under Rule 20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991 against the following four (4) engineering personnel, on the allegations of irregularities in execution of “Providing drinking water facilities to quality affected habitations” in Chinnaganjam, Karamchedu, Parchur (M) in Prakasam District.

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- (1) Sri N. Rammohan Rao, the then Superintending Engineer, RWS&S Circle, Ongole and retired as CE, RWS&S.
- (2) Sri N. Parvatha Reddy, the then Executive Engineer, RWS&S Division, Ongole
- (3) Sri G. Ashok, the then Dy.Executive Engineer, RWS(P) Sub-Division, Martur,
- (4) Sri G. Maheswara Rao, the then Asst. Executive Engineer, PR.

2. In response to the charges, all the above charged officers (except Sri N. Rammohan Rao, the then Superintending Engineer, RWS&S Circle, Ongole and retired as CE, RWS&S, expired on 09.05.2013) have submitted their written statements of defence, vide references 7th to 9th read above.

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3. After examining the written statements of defence submitted by the three (3) charged officers, Government have decided to conduct regular enquiry against the three (3) charged officers i.e., **(1)** Sri N. Parvatha Reddy, the then Executive Engineer, RWS&S Division, Ongole presently working as Executive Engineer, RWS&S Division, Madanapalli, Chittoor, **(2)** Sri G. Ashok, the then Dy.Executive Engineer, RWS (P) Sub-division Martur, presently working as Dy.Executive Engineer, PRI Sub-division, Addanki; and **(3)** Sri G. Maheswara Rao, the then Asst. Executive Engineer, PR presently working as Dy.Executive Engineer, O/o the SE, RWS, Ongole, Prakasam District, under Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991, in pursuance of the orders issued in the reference 10th read above.

4. Accordingly, Government hereby appoint Dr. Premchand, IAS, (Retd.), Member, Commissioner of Inquiries, General Administration Department as Enquiry Officer under Rule 20(2) of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991 to conduct enquiry against the above mentioned three (3) charged officers.

4. Government also hereby appoint Superintending Engineer, RWS&S, Prakasam District as Presenting Officer to present the case before the Enquiry Officer, under Rule 20(5)(c) of A.P.Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991, on behalf of the disciplinary authority.

5. The Presenting Officer shall acquaint himself with the facts of the case and present the case before the Enquiry Officer effectively. He is also requested to obtain and produce documents, if any, required by the Enquiry Officer, during the course of enquiry.

6. The Enquiry Officer is requested to conduct enquiry strictly in terms of Rule 20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991 and submit his report as required under sub-rule 18(1ii) of the above said rule. Copies of the charge Memos issued to the Delinquent Officers and the Written Statements of Defence submitted by them are herewith furnished to the Enquiry Officer as required under Rule 20(7) of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

VIKAS RAJ
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
Dr. Premchand, IAS, (Retd.), Member, Commissioner of Inquiries,
General Administration Department & Enquiry Officer (w.e.)
The Superintending Engineer, RWS&S, Prakasam District & Presenting Officer(w.e.)
Copy to:
The individuals concerned through the Engineer-in-Chief, RWS&S, Hyderabad.
The Engineer-in-Chief, RWS&S, Hyderabad.
The Engineer-in-Chief, Panchayat Raj, Hyderabad.
The G.A.(V&E) Department.
(w.r.t. Vigilance Report No.72 (353/V&E/E2/2011), dt.28.09.2012
The Secretary to VC, APVC, Hyderabad.
The G.A.(COI.R) Dept.
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SECTION OFFICER